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**AMENDMENT UNDER 35 C.F.R. §1.114**

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Sir :

In response to the Advisory Action of June 23, 2008 and the Final Office Action of February 25, 2008, the period for responding having been extended to expire on August 25, 2008 (August 23, 2008 falling on a Saturday) by a request for two-month extension of time submitted concurrently herewith (i.e. the previous Response under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 having been submitted within two months of the Final Office Action such that the initial period for reply expired on June 23, 2008), Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejection, as well as an indication of the allowability of each of the claims now pending in view of the present Amendment and Request for Continued Examination.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.  
**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.